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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: RICHARD COOPER, ET AL.

TITLE: POLISHING PAD FOR USE IN CHEMICAL-...

SERIAL No.: 10/087,223

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EXAMINER: ESTRADA, MICHELLE

To: Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Mail Stop Nonfee Amendment
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

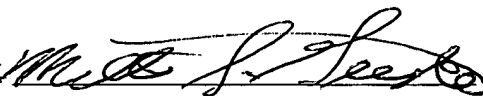
Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated February 13, 2004, Applicants elect Group III, claims 23-31 and 45, and please amend the application as follows.



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

The undersigned hereby certifies that he is depositing the enclosed Election/Amendment in response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 13, 2004, for application serial number 10/087,223, filed March 1, 2002, Applicants Richard Cooper, et al., with the U.S. Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Nonfee Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this the 11th day of March, 2004.

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